

Local and Personal

Happenings of Interest

No services in the Episcopal church, Sunday night.

For Delicious Hot Biscuits Sure Shot. (adv.)

O. A. Morgan went to Arcadia on business, Monday.

A pleasure to show you our goods.—Kinsel's Dept. Store, adv.

Born, at Charlotte Harbor, Sunday afternoon, 8th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wade, a daughter.

Fresh vegetables of all kinds received daily by R. M. King.52

Alvin Gorton, expert trucker of Woodrow, was attending to business here, Saturday.

Sure Shot Hits the Spot for Hot Biscuits, Muffins, Pancakes. (adv.)

The Woman's Civic Association has something to say in this paper to every citizen. Read it and heed it.

A full line of staple and fancy groceries at A. P. Hatch's. (adv.)

Ladies of the Baptist Aid Society are arranging for a bazaar to begin on Dec. 4th and last through the week.

Thousands of old newspapers for sale cheap at The Herald office.—tf.

Men and brethren! The ladies of the town are after you! Get a move on you and clean up your premises.

A full line of staple and fancy groceries, fresh and reliable, at A. P. Hatch's. (adv.)

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet Friday afternoon, 3:30, in the Baptist church. This is a business meeting and every member is urged to attend.

Sure Shot Self Rising Flour makes Fine Hot Biscuits, Batter Cakes, Muffins.—(adv.)

After spending several months very pleasantly at her former home in Norwood, La., Mrs. T. R. Woodson returned last week. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. L. P. Gayden.

Clothing, shoes and hats—latest styles—for men at R. C. Blount's. (adv.)

Married, at the Inn, in this city, on Saturday, 7th inst., by Locke Addison, N. P. Richard Douglas and Miss Ella Williams, both of Punta Gorda. The happy couple have the best wishes of all their friends.

High grade candies, a fine assortment at A. P. Hatch's Corner Grocery. (adv.)

Rev. J. R. Walden, who some years ago, lived at Harbor View and still owns a valuable orange grove there, arrived here Monday, went over and inspected his property, and next day started on his return to his home in Lake City.

Fresh fruits of all kinds in their seasons; a nice line of candies, confections and fancy groceries at R. M. King's. (adv.)

It would not be a bad idea to have as members of the town council one or two of the progressive women for whom this place is noted. We therefore, move to have the town charter amended to enable us to put women on the council.

Sure Shot Hits the Spot. (adv.)

C. L. Willis and family are now occupying the neat and cosy cottage which they have just built in front of the Seavey place in Solana.

Sure Shot For Delicious Hot Biscuits. (adv.)

R. K. Seward, popular dry goods merchant, has decided to have his residence on Cross street re-modeled and has engaged J. R. Mauck to do the work.

Dress making done at Miss Walker's.—It.

Mrs. Sophie Germaine, who temporarily resides in Ocala, arrived here last week to look after her property interests and meet her many friends.

Consult J. Harvey Miller about painting your house. See advertisement in this paper. (adv.) It.

C. A. Carver, the jeweler, moved his stock Tuesday, from the Jackson block into the front part of the Cochran Drug Co.'s store. See his advertisement, elsewhere in this paper.

All fruits and vegetables in their season at the Griggs grocery. —41-tf.—(adv.)

On the first Sunday in November, there will be a Sunday school rally at the Methodist church, which every Methodist and every friend of Methodism is cordially invited to attend. Further notice will be given next week.

A protracted meeting will be started in the Methodist church on the second Sunday in November. (adv.)

Miss Isabel Oliver went to Eustis, Friday, to teach music in the high school there during the current term. The Eustis school is fortunate in having secured the services of such an accomplished pianist.

Eleven dogs about town died of poison during the past week. Amongst them was the harmless, pretty pet poodle puppy belonging to Miss Helen Huffman. Why any one should wish to kill harmless dogs is a mystery to us.

For the best cleaning, pressing, altering and dyeing, send your clothes to the DeSoto Pressing Club. (adv.)

Capt. H. M. Reid visited Tampa and Ocala on business last week.

Pictorial Patterns at Miss Walker's.—39tf.

E. A. White of Jacksonville, returning Saturday night from Fort Myers, stopped over here and spent Sunday with his family.

Frank T. Adams, a capitalist of Connellsville, Pa., who has valuable interests on Pine Island, passed through here last Friday on his way to Tampa.

Mrs. John Flint came down from Brownville, Saturday, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Rasch, and her two brothers, Paul and Hoyt.

Having discontinued the dining room of the Bay View Hotel, we now have three or four of our best furnished rooms, which we will rent the week or month to good reliable persons.—H. W. Smith. 40tf.—adv.

To The Merchants

Have your men's suits and pants altered to fit your customers. I. C. Sullivan can do it and guarantee it.—DeSoto Pressing Club. 41-tf. (adv.)

HEED THESE GOOD WOMEN

Read This Address of the Civic Association

Fall is here and every good housekeeper has a general cleaning up time then, and one in the spring. Not only should these two particular times of the year be observed by each housekeeper, but also by the merchant, the blacksmith, the boat-builder, the butcher, the baker and the candlestick maker. This setting aside of two special times of the year for cleaning up the accumulations of the year in the way of useless trash, old clothes, cans, bottles and weeds, tends toward the habit of civic cleanliness that appeals to our sense of order and system as well as to the rest of the world that observes us as it passes our way.

This year, Mrs. Jennings, the president of the Federated Clubs of the state, has asked every mayor in Florida to ask for this general cleaning up period, and Punta Gorda shouldn't be a laggard in the procession of progress. Let's clean up for the lesson it is to others; let's clean up because we can get into the habit of it after a while so that there will be no accumulations to take care of twice a year.

When each housekeeper cleans out the nooks and corners of her

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home, let her remember that we have a board of Associated Charities that will appreciate the gift of old clothes bedding and shoes that are good enough to afford wear for some of the needy poor whom we have to look after every year. When you're dusting the books and magazines, see if there are not some that you will not read again and send them over to our town library; gather all the bottles and tin cans into old barrels or boxes so that they may be easily gathered up and carried away; trim up all your trees and shrubs and with the paper burn this rubbish and then take the ashes and scatter them around your trees. The potash they contain costs \$500.00 a ton, so don't waste your ashes, as they contain enough potash to do your plants some good.

Mow down the grass and weeds and pile this around your trees as a mulch to keep the ground damp during the dry season. As this decays, it makes a rich food for

your trees. Don't put it up against the trunk of the trees, but away six inches at least. Some trees and plants are smothered, if their trunks are not kept exposed right down to the place where the roots branch out. Don't forget this. Half the trees and shrubs planted are lost from this cause.

The mayor, Mr. Silcox, Mr. Tucker and Mr. Porter have promised us the use of teams between the 16th and 22nd days of October for gathering up the trash that is put into the boxes and barrels. Be sure to have yours ready by that time. See that your alley is as tidy and clean as your front garden. Then sweep off your front walk and the curb, if you live on Marian avenue or Taylor street and see if you don't feel a thousand per cent better satisfied with your home and your town.

The Woman's Civic Improvement Association—Secretary.

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